

March 22, Condon, German bark, 368, H. Steffens, Amov 19th March, Ballast.— Sigmssen & Co. March 22, Glenoschy, British str., 1,775, West Point Iron Wolfing, Kobo 16th March, Bice.—Jab.—Hongkong 8th March	WM. DUNPHY & CO. Hongkong, 1st March, 1877.	ODOWN THE Undersigned has received instructions from M. P. Rice, Esq., to Sell by Public L. Co. L. Addition, on TUESDAY.	INTIMATIONS. I H E S T A G H O T E L, 10, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTEAL, HONGKONG S now undergoing Extensive Alterations Undersigned Berains, and will be Entired Refuse.	PRICE \$21 PER MONTH. INTIMATIONS. INTIMATIONS. INTIMATIONS. INTIMATIONS. LUSITANO THEATRE. The Members of the HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY will perform the Dramatic Contata, by
March 22, Chun-tune, Chin, gunboat, from Ping-hoi. March 22, Mactan, Spanish steamer, 371, the 1st January, 187, Erquiaga, Manila 19th March, General, will henceforward be a Co. March 22, West Stanier, British steamer, 993, Ashby, Chinkiang 18th March, Foodhow, 18th Feb. Rice.—Russell & Co. March 22, Fully, Chinese steamer, 920, A. Croad, Canton 21st March, General.— The Interest Co. M. S. N. Co.	OTICE MAUNSELL REEVES ARTNER in my Firm on No. 2, SEYMOUR TERRACE. Apply to E "FAMEHURST, Rusves THOS. FAIRHURST. TO 9, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTS Golowns attached No. 2, SEYMOUR TERRACE. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SON: Hongkong, 1st February, 1878.	The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNI- TURE, &c., comprising —Green Rep Covered Drawing-room SUITE, Teakwood CENTRE TABLE, English-made Walnut Glass BOOK- CASE. Lady's CHAIRS, ENGRAVINGS, CLOCKS, Extension DINING TABLE and CHAIRS, SIDEBOARD, WHATNOTS, DD ROAD, DINNER, DESSERT, and BREAKFAST P SETS, GLASS and PLATED WARE, GASALIERS, and GAS BRACKETS.	Attached to the Hotel is a commodious Billard Room. WINES and SPIRITS of the BEST of which su mitted to the ROPRIES ONLY ROPRIES TOR J. COOK BANKS, The STAG HOTEL, QUEEN'S ROAD. RIENTAL HOTEL, Messrs. IA	Manager. ig, 21st March, 1878. [1m490] FAMINE RELIEF FUND. PTIONS to date aggregate \$10.888.44, im Taels 6,000 have already been related to the Committee at Shanghai by Teleman and Arthur Shillyan, TRIAL BY JURY. PERCY-FIFEGERALD, M.A., THE FAMILY SHAKES PEARE. ON THURSDAY EVENING the 28th instant, to commence at 9 o'clock. THURSDAY EVENING the 28th instant, to commence at 9 o'clock. Tickets—Price TWO DOLLARS—may be obtained from the Committee.—
March 22, Orion, British bark, 981, Scott, THAVE This Day Banker Slat January, Salt.—Arrhold, Port at a MEI	OTICE. ERINK has been admitted R in our Firm from this of every description. MEYER & Co. MEYER & Co. SHARP, TOLLER, AND JOH Solicitors. Supreme Court House, Hongkeng, 26th February, 1878.	WEIGHTS. Catalogues will be iganed, and the whole to be on view on and after Monday, the 18th instant. The May of Sales.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at Purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer. [36] J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 21st March, 1878. [492]	PROPRIETORS TIPPIN AT ONE. DINNER at SEVEN. Vines, Spirits, &c., of the Best Quality only. English, French, and German Spoken. HONGKONG HOTEL. HONGKONG HOTEL. HONGKONG HOTEL, the present Five- early Lease expiring on the 81st Angust, 1878. EALED TENDERS to be sent in on or be. Fran	by desirons of contributing will kindly if Names with Amount of Sunto any of the above Lists. H. B. GIBB. Chairman. AN OFFICERS, TEACHERS. ERKS. &c., can be ENGAGED by CHAND SCHELLENBERGER, kfurt-on-the-Main (Garmany). ARRISON THEATRE.
Nowton, Whampos 20th March, General.—Rozabio & Co. Chiearan Notes. At the Harbour Master's Office, March 22rd. Charon Wattana, Siam, bark, for Bangkok. Parses, British steamer, for Saigon. Lady Bowen, British bark, for Bangkok. Fu-yew, Chinese steamer, for Shangkai. Note the let January, 1878. Hengkong, 5th January, 1878.	G. R. STEVENS. Secomber, 1877. [84] OTICE. Hongkong, 19th March, 1878. Hongkong, 19th March, 1878. TO LET. HOR Six or Seven months, a FUR RESIDENCE in one of the B tions in Hongkong.	TANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on THURSDAY, the 28th March, 1878, at 2 o'clock P.M., at No. 10, Seymour Tormes, the Residence of Rev. J. Lamont,— The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising DRAWING-ROOM CHAIRS, COUCHES, TABLE, MIRROR, GASALIER, &c., DINING TABLE, SIDE BOARD, WHATNOT, OROCKERY, GLASS	Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited, be will supply any information required. By Order of the Directors, LOUIS HAUSCHILD, Secretary. Hongkong, 15th September, 1877. [142] INTERNATIONAL HOTEL, during his Address Hongkon aving been entirely Repitted, offers every	TANOFORTE TUNING. BUCHANAN, BANDMASTER of Highlanders, begs of the Public of Hongkong that he take to TUNE PIANOFORTES stay in the Colony. to Murray Barracks. ag, 14th March, 1878. THE D B E A M O F L O V E,
DEPARTURES. March 21, Herbert Black, Amer. bark, for Portland (Oregon). March 22, Glengor, British str. for Saigon. March 22, Moss Glen, British bark, for Bangkok. March 22, Phino, French str., for Shanghai. March 22, Marco Polo, German bark, for Manile. March 22, Tiber, French str., for Yokobama. Hongkong, 26th F. Nesses, Pigon Limited, Gangowder ford and Battle, the Hongkong and Chira	CTICE. I have been appointed by Manufacturers of Darter ROLE AGENTS in MEYER & Co. MEYER & Co. Hongkong, 1st February, 1878. TO LET ROUND FLOOR of No. 50, ROAD CENTRAL Apply to THOS. G. GLOV No. 7, Queen's Road of Meyers, 1878. Hongkong, 16th January, 1878.	AR, d Road [427] A Collection of FERNS and PLANTS. Thems of Sale.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7,1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at Purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, 22nd March, 1878. [176] PUBLIC AUCTION. [176] THE Undersigned has received instructions from J. McDonald, Esq., to Sell by	W. H. HENRIQUES & Co., 6m435] Proprietors. FOR SALE. TH.E. "M.A.C.A.O. H.O.T.E.L." Apply to J. P. DE CAMPOS, Proprietor. Macso, 18th March, 1878. FOR SALE. THAMPAGNE—DUC. DE MONTE.	og or any of the Out Ports. Address care of this Office. To conclude with the Screaming Farce, entitled DENTAL NOTICE. OGERS begs to intimate to his ends that he is about to visit Shang-still be about from Hongkong from
for Manila. March 22, Ningro, Brit. str., for Shanghai. March 22, Palestine, Brit. bk., for Bangkok. March 22, Eudoxie Adolphine, Fran. brig, for Callac. March 22, Antipodes, Brit. bark, for Ham- March 22, Antipodes, Brit. bark, for Ham- March 22, Antipodes, Brit. bark, for Ham-	THREE OFFICES in CLUB Control of the CHANT and COMMIS- K. LIN MHONE. THREE OFFICES in CLUB Control of the Chant of the C	Public Auction, on: FRIDAY, the 29th March, 1878, at 2 o'clock P.M., at his Residence No. 2 Lower Mosque Terrace,— The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNI. TURE, &c., comprising —Damask Covered Drawing room SUITE, Rosewood CENTRE Mosque I next. RORS, CHANDELIER, Kerosine LAMPS, and CLOCKS.	Dozen Quarts and 2 Dozen Pints, at \$15 and 16. E. J. Brand & Co.'s Specially Selected ROWN SHERRIES and Dry CHAM-ROWN SHERRIES and Dry CHAM-RITCHIE'S Pale Dry SHERRIES, in 2 INTERES Share, will on the 28th Cases. T. G. Linstead. on the 28th Chart, will on the 28th Chart, will on the 28th Chart Research Royal Royal Royal Research Royal Royal Royal Research Royal	AVIGATION COMPANY. IN LIQUIDATION. RD RETURN of CAPITAL and ST, at the Bate of Five Tables per I be made to Shareholders of Record he February, payable at the Office of ators on the 8th March. RT will be despatched for the above Port To-DAY, the 23rd instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELH—& Co., Agents. Hongkong, 23rd March, 1878. [501]
PASSENGERS. Per Macian, str., from Manils: Messrs. Ortega and Tucker. Per Wast Stanley, str., from Chinkiang: Count of Chairman—F Per Ajaz, str., from Amoy: Departed. Per Ninggo, str., for Shanghai Mr. A. Izra. CORP PAID, UP CAPITA RESERVE FUND Count of Chairman—F Chairman—F Deputy Chairman—E. R. Bellins, Esq. H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. H. Hoppius, Esq. Hon. W. Keswick. CHIBE	SHANGHAT BANKING ORATION. THE Undersigned has been AGENT at This Pour for TH TIVE GOVERNMENT SECURIT ASSURANCE COMPANY (LIMIT DIRECTORS: D. SASSOON, Esq. Wilhelm Roiners, Esq.	Double and Single IRON BEDSTEADS, Childs' COTS, Mahogany WARDROBE with PLATE GLASS Door, CHEST of DRAWERS, Morble-top TOILET TABLES and WASH. STANDS, &c. One SEWING MACHINE, by WILCOX and GIBB. One BAGATELLE TABLE, with BALIS, the above ANY One CHUBB'S PATENT IRON SAFE. And One PIANO, by R. R. Fipp Gatalogues will be issued, and the whole to be	OLD PARTICULAR, In Quarter Casks (equal to about 12 dozen), \$50. In Octaves (equal to about 6 dozen), \$30. LONDON PARTICULAR, In Quarter Casks (about 12 dozen), \$45. In Octaves (about 6 dozen), \$45. GEO. SMITH & Co., Agents for China, Hongkong, and Japan, \$45. FOR SALE. NAUTICA	Liquidators. i. February 28th, 1878. GEOR STEVENS & Co., FCH AND CHRONOMETER MANUFACTUREES AND JEWELLERS. Johnson, Commander, will leave for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 29th instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to GEOR STEVENS & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 28rd March, 1878. [499]
The Spanish steamship Mucton reports left Manila on 19th March, and had fresh N.E. monsoon throughout. The British bark Jessie Jamieson reports left Keelung on 18th March, and had strong monsoon and thick, rainy weather throughout. The German bark Condor reports left Amoy on 19th March. The first day calms; thence to port moderate Northerly and Easterly winds. The British steamship Glenorchy reports left CREDITS granted of	Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE CO INTEREST ALLOWED Sit Accounts at the rate of count of Twenty per cent. (20%). Current Local Rates of Premis will upon Insurances effected with this Count of Twenty per cent. (20%). 2 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent. per annum. 5 per cent. per annum. 6 per cent. per annum. 6 per cent. per annum. 7 PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE CO PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE CO	on view on and after Thursday, the 28th inst. Terms of Sale.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers risk on the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 23rd March, 1878. [500] A N E, C R A W F O R D & C O.	HEIDSIECK & Co.'s M O N O P O L E. DEETJEN & Co. Hongkong, 2nd July, 1877. [6ml034] N O W O N S A L E. LOAF SUCCUT and I CUDE SUCCUT ALLES Apply at the Daily Press Office. Hongkong, February, 1877. Allie Apply at the Daily Press Office. Hongkong, February, 1877. Allie Alli	46. Queen's Road Central. I A SUGAR REFINING for any DEBTS contracted by their Messman, Hing Kee. His Refinery Manufactures— Hongkong, 6th February, 1878. [275] ANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION. ANGTON TION. NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS. In accordance with the Articles of Agreement, the Directors have declared a DIVIDEND to Policy-holders for the fiscal year ending Soth
The British steamship West Stanley reports left Chinklang on 18th March. On the 18th and 19th calm and foggy weather. On the 20th moderate breeze from the N.E. On the 21st strong gale from the E.N.E. and passing showers of rain at intervals. MANILA SHIPPING. Tebruary— ARRIVALS. Commercial places in America, China and America, China and Offices of the Corpora No. 1, Queen's 91 Hongkon CHARTERED B TRALIA	on London, and the chief Europe, India, Australia, Japan. EXSON, Chief Manager ation. Road East, G. 27th February, 1878. ANK OF INDIA, AUS. AND CHINA. E806,000.	HENRY'S CANVAS. BAXTER'S CANVAS. C & Co. BAXTER'S CANVAS. MANILA ROPE. URANCE G. ASBESTOS PACKING. HARRISS' PACKING.	CIUTLER, PALMER & CO'S CLARETS, at \$12,\$10,\$7,\$6,\$51, and \$4 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. CHAMPAGNE, at \$101, \$9, \$81, and \$81 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. CHAMPAGNE, at \$13 PER CASE OF 2 DOZEN PINTS. CHAMPAGNE, at \$12 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. HOCK, at \$81 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. PACKED	CONTRIBUTED. WARRANTS WILL BE delivered by the Undersigned to Contributors of Premin at this Port on and after the 9th instant. Policy-holders are requested to send in Particulars of their Contributions. By Order of the Directors, RUSSELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 5th March; 1878. NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.
25. Mariveles, Spanish str., from Singapore. 25. D. M. de Molina, Spanish cor., from Spain. 27. Cutwater, American ship, from Batavia. 27. Annis Florence, Brit. bark, from H'kong. March— 2. Leyte, Spanish steamer, from Hongkong. 2. Emuy, Spanish steamer, from Hongkong. 3. Monagahela, Amer. cor., from U. States, 5. Loyola, Spanish steamer, from Liverpool. 6. Aurrera, Spanish steamer, from Liverpool. 6. Aurrera, Spanish steamer, from Liverpool. 6. Aurrera, Spanish steamer, from Liverpool. 6. Ellen Munroe, Ame. sh., from S. Francisco. 17. Esmeralda, British str., from Amey, &c. February—DEPARTURES. 18. THE C. THE NATIONAL THE BANK THE C. THE NATIONAL THE C. THE NATIONAL THE C. THE C. THE NATIONAL THE C. THE NATIONAL The Bank's Buak Drafts on London and the color of the color o	class risks at current rates. MELCHER MELCHER Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND INSURANCE COMPANY INSURANCE COMPANY INSURANCE COMPANY INSURANCE COMPANY Count of Twenty per cent. (20°) Count of Twenty p	TUCK'S PACKING. 120 D GLOBE COTTON PACKING. Cotton Packing. Cotton P	COAL. WACHTER'S CHAMPAGNE. SIEPPLIED TO H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF WALES. SIEPPLIED TO H.R.H. THE PRINCE OF WALES. China Hongkon Siems	TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO, EX O. S. S. CO.'S Str. "AGAMEMNON," FROM LIVERPOOL. Sugar Refining Company, Limited. East Point. NOTICE. NOTICE. H I L L A R AND C O. SUBJECT OF OPTIONAL CARGO, EX O. S. S. CO.'S Str. "AGAMEMNON," FROM LIVERPOOL. SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 26th instant for shipment per Steamer "DEUCALION." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 20th March, 1878. [488] STEAMSHIP "PEIHO." COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
8. Conchita, Spanish bark, for Hongkong. 8. Monagahisla, Amer. cor., for Hongkong. 8. Monagahisla, Amer. cor., for Hongkong. 8. Tamana, British bark, for Falmouth. Has always on har	COMPANY OF HAMBUR	appointed y/are present Current BOILER COMPOSITION. & Cd.,	Apply to Hongkong, 1st December, 1877. [58] WASANG, BHIPCHANDLER, SAILMAKER, AND GENERAL STOREKEEPER, BATTLES & Co. S I N C. No. Has always and Sin	Hongkong. tf39 MARITIMES.

ndon, in connection with the above are hereby informed that their Goods landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

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HONGKONG, MAECH 23RD, 1878.

THE terrible straits to which the inhabitants of Shansi and the other famine-stricken provinces of North China have been reduced has; it would seem, set some of the Chinese thinking about the facilities for transport afforded by railway. An influential Chinaman hailing from Shansi is reported by a correspondent to have asked-"Why do not foreigners build us a railway? They contribute of their wealth to feed our starving poor, why not make the transit of grain easy and cheap, and thus save thousands of lives?" The quostion can, of course, be answered with the greater ease: the Government of Peking bars the way with its veto. The fate of the little pioneer railway between Shangha; and Woosung is not calculated to encourage foreigners to invest capital in such undertakings. That rail-With brief descriptions of Hongkong and the ways are needed, and that they would pay in Treaty Ports of China, Japan, and the Philip. China, is generally believed; but it would be It also includes a mass of useful information introduce them without the guarantee of the Chinese Government that they should not be interfered with as well as its sanction for the undertaking. And, as far as we can see at present, there is little probability of the Authovarious Acts, Ordinances, and Regulations re. ritles at Peking patronising the iron road. It will need something more serious than a It is further embellished with a Chromo-litho- famino by which hundreds of thousands are being carried off-a great portion of which awful mortality is due to the imperfect means who can see the necessity for improved means of communication, but there are no organs of few channels by which the public can make impress them upon, the official mind. The want of a public Press is much felt in China, and there seems scarcely the faintest prospect. of any advance being made in this direction. If the Chinese commercial classes could give expression to their opinions, we imagine there might be some hope of various much needed retired by rotation, was re-elected a director. Messrs, Kelly & Walsh, S'ghai reforms being inaugurated, the development of the mineral resources of the country, the HANKOW and Messrs. Hall & Holts and Kelly construction of railways, and the abolition of some of the more flagrant abuses in the administration.

morning contemporary mentions a circumstance of some little general interest, and which is worthy of note as a proof that the most conservative of all Eastern, peoples are in some particulars willing to learn from Europeans. The Corean Embassy, with the annual tribute from the King of that country, is now in Peking, and there are, it seems, two medical men attached to the Embassy. These practitioners had evidently heard of the superiority of Western medical science from the Chinese, for they have applied to Dr. DRINTING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION DUDGEON to be allowed to attend his hospital during their stay in Peking. They are reported to speak in disparaging terms of impressed with what they saw, and that they the revival of the Mint so prematurely closed judice aside the path to knowledge is made comparatively smooth for them. They are, authorities - Yours, &c., as the Chinese have proved, greatly interested in vaccination, and have expressed a wish to introduce it into their own country. It will be a great blessing if they can succeed in their object, but it remains to be seen whether the Corean people will welcome the innovation. They have such stupid and ob- mouth to give it a plump appearance. Heaven worthless man. By your looks I can see that forty-three terms of one year each, to bring the make an exploration of the heavin of El Juf, and stingts prejudices against everything of only knows what fifthy disease the man may be you are an inveterate opium smoker. A man two former issues to a round sum. A magis, the channel which connected it with the Atlantic foreign origin that it is doubtful whether fithiness of the practice—wholesome to have the they would not regard the operation with suspicion. The Corean Ambassadors to Petrng will be able, perhaps to do some for one month with hard labour, where you will be able, perhaps to do some for one month with hard labour, where you will be able, perhaps to do some for one month with hard labour, where you will be able, perhaps to do some for one month with hard labour, where you will to pay out only bills, or, if it paid out stable, who are naturally pealess of any one for one month with hard labour, where you will to pay out only bills, or, if it paid out stable, to

THE Peking correspondent of our Shanghai

long time indeed to allay the fears and soften the prejudices of this remarkably conservative and egotistical people. If, how ever, we can benefit them by imparting some knowledge of medicing to their doctors and getting vaccination introduced into the kingdom, it will be no slight satisfaction to do to. Wherever a knowledge of surgery and medicine can be spread and human suffering alleviated it should be done. At the same time Dr. Dungeon must be congratulated on having gained some new and

unexpected converts to science. There are only four more cases, in addition to the rape case to complete the sessions; only three

will be taken to-day, as one of the witnesses in one case in sick. It is stated that a great cafe proprietor on the Boulevards in Paris, encouraged by the accounts he has heard of Chinese handiness and moderation in respect of wages, is going to set up, on

the first of May, a staff of ten waiters, engaged at Shanghai, for seven years. It is not (says the Whitehall Review) England along which shows a readiness to enlighten the Chinese as to the principles of warfare as practised by Europeans, for we hear of three young Chinese officers who are undergoing a course of business communications be addressed to the instruction on board the German convette Arcona,

> Yesterday, being the birthday of His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of Germany, there was good display of banting at the German Consulate, the Club Germania; and the German hongs, while the German steamer Allona (Captain Muller), and the schooner Louisa (Captain Shierloh) dressed ship, and the other German vessels flew their ensigns in honour of the occasion. The veteran soldier-Emperor completed his fourscore years yesterday.

the most prosperous of whom claims to make an | constable with the other bundle under his arm. average of \$10,000 a year, and explains his suc- The jury returned a verdict of guilty. There cess by saying there is absolutely nothing to were five previous convictions against the priprevent him charging what rate of interest he soner. - Sentence reserved. likes. Their principal transactions are in gold jewelry and pipes, the majority of them deriving a large share of their profits from the frailer portion of the female sex and the thieves of their male members. A quantity of their unredeemed pledges are annually shipped to China.

CHINESE INSUBANCE COMPANY,

The seventh ordinary meeting of the shareholders of the above Company was held at the offices of the general agents, Messrs, Olyphant and Co., yasterday afternoon. There were present Mesers. E. R. Belilios (Chairman), C. Morland Kerr, W. Reiners, T. Pim, Lee Tuck Cheong, Fung Tang, R. I. Harper, H. Smith, A. Hancock, A. O'D. Gourdin, F. R. Talbet, A. E. Yaucher, Teen Yick, Fook Yuen Loong, Wy. Sing, Tuck Lee, Lung Chaung Chan, Kwong Lee, Fol Chong, Pan Achew, Wing Yuon Loy. Leong Poo Chi, Poon Se Yuen, Lee Yung, and J. Bradles Smith (Secretary).

The SECRETARY having read the notice convening the meeting, The CHAIRMAN said—Gentlemen, our reporyour hands since the beginning of the week, you will, I presume, permit me to take them as read. You will observe that our operations for the poriod have resulted in paying shareholders twelve impossible for foreigners to take any steps to per cont, on the capital, in carrying a good sum to the reserve fund, and in making a return of ten per cent, on their contributions to firms who have given us business. This in ordinary times would doubtless have been looked upon as highly satisfactory; but as our neighbours in dealing with their contributors have done better, the bonus we are now about to declare might in some quarters be taken as not very encouraging. I must, however, inform you that this has arisen. from two causes, first, our misfortunes, and second, the establishment of the On Tai Insurance Company, a Chinese institution doing a similar kind of business to ourselves. With regard to the first cause, I can assure you that nothing of communication between the coast and dis- has been wanting in tact and care on the part of treased districts—to convince the mandarins of casualties, which is somewhat voluminous, is man, and on the day in question was paid off at the management in selecting risks. The list who rule at Feking that railways would now on the table for the perudal of any one pre the Sailors' Home. After receiving his money benefit the country. Some of the familie sent. On inspection you will be convinced that each of the risks taken, whether on a steamer stricken districts are practically maccessible, or on a sailing vessel, has been unexceptionable. money out of his pocket while he was asleep. owing to the miserable tracks called roads With reference to the second cause, I regret to The jury returned a verdict of not quilty by a being only adapted for foot traffic. The say that the competition of the On Tai, which, as you are aware, has almost the same constituents proverb "While the grass grows the steed as this company, has told seriously on our may starve" is peculiarly applicable in resources, but it is a matter for congratulation this case. The provisions have all to be that this now institution has not affected us so very materially as we at first anticipated it carried on the shoulders of coulies, and while would. This is a proof that the habit of the grain is being conveyed to them the insuring is being developed amongst the natives of this mighty empire, and that the future wretched people are dying from starvation. of this association may still be a prosper-There are not wanting intelligent Chinamen ous one. It is not in the nature of things that public opinion in the Central Kingdom and meet our contributing friends in years to come

we should continue to experience misfortunes and to incur losses so incessantly as we have hitherto done. We can therefore only hope to with a larger bonus that we have this year been able to do. I have no further remarks to make, their ideas and wishes known to, much less but will be glad to answer any questions.-There being no questions I beg to propose that the re-port and accounts as now submitted be adopted. Mr. HANCOCK seconded.

Carried unanimously.
On the motion of Mr. Kunn, seconded by Mr. TALBOT, the election of Mr. Reiners to the Board of Directors, in place of Mr. André, who has left the colony, was confirmed; and Mr. Belilios, who On the motion of Mr. REINERS, seconded by Mr. Fung Tang, Mr. L. Hauschild and Mr. H Smith wore re-elected auditors.

The CHAIRMAN-This is all the business, gentlemen, before the meeting, and we have to thank you for your attendance. Mr. HARPER-Gentlemen, before separating I think you will all join with me in a vote of thanks to the directors and general agents. The figures before us show that great care has been taken by the directors, seeing the difficulties referred to by the Chairman. I would therefore propose a vote of thanks to the directors and

general agents. The motion was carried by acclamation. The CHAIRMAN-Gentlemen, we are very much obliged to you and to Mr. Harper for the kind manner in which our efforts have been rerelived here to-day.

This concluded the meeting.

CORRESPONDENCE

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the op

expressed by our correspondents]. THE CUERENCY QUESTION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS. Sir,-You are quite right in your remarks about the mercantile and the currency question. I have good authority for stating that the foreign ment to Commencial and General Jon nishing, as it is not the habit of Coronas community are all very anxious to see a proper both prisoners by a majority of six to one. PRINTING, every description of which is to decry their own institutions. The fact currency in the Colony and will support any there was to be an opportunity for demanding established. To attain this object all that is measure having that object in view, whether it shows; however, that they were deeply be the introduction of a British dollar or the felt, in presence of European science, that But as you correctly infer in your issue of to-day, we have not time to get up much agitation on the their own medical system was mere quackery. subject, as our own business pretty well monopo-The acknowledgment is much to the credit lises our attention. Still, I fancy if capital is reof their intelligence and will certainly prove quiredfor the establishment of Mint by a private company there will be no great difficulty in the the first step towards the acquirement of way of getting it. I should like best to see the valuable information, since by laying pre- Hongkong Mint revived by the local Government, but let us have a Mint whether or no, if we can only secure the sanction of the home

ONE OF THE BUSY ONES. Hongkong, 22nd March, 1878. CHINESE MODE OF DEESSING MEAT. TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS."

and disgusting mode of dressing meat practised it in the market.

I have had a great deal of experience amongst shoep and cattle, and I know perfectly well that ment so treated desomposes much more rapidly than if dressed in the ordinary way. Should any require proof of what I say I can give it at any time that is, as to the method of dressing ment practised in Hongkong .-- Yours &c.

Hongkong, 22nd March, 1878.

LATEST TELEGRAMS REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."

HY SOUTHERN BOUTE. LONDON, 21st Masch. THE WAR INDEMNITY.

The Emperor of Russia has been asked to reduce the war indomnity asked from Turkey, but has refused to do so." The indemnity is to be three hundred millions of roubles.

> SUPREME COURT. 22nd March.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SKOWDEN. THEFT OF FIREWOOD,

Lam Ping Hang was charged with stealing two bundles of firewood, the property of Tow Alam on the 9th instant. The Attorney General, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, prosecuted The jurors were Mesart. J. P. C. da Silva, Ledbury, A. Wohlters, A. Millar, J. M. Harrian, A. J. da Silva E. Sonza, and R. M. Ross. The prosecutor keeps a firewood shop.

the day in question he saw the prisoner take up The Sau Francisco Chronicle states that there | The prosecutor pursued him and the prisoner are fourteen. Chinese pawnbrokers in that city. threw away one bundle. He was stopped by a ATTEMPTED THEFT AT THE BACE COURSE.

Chiu Ayau was charged with stealing a pair of binocular glasses, the property of Mr. R. Moore at the racecourse, on the 2nd March. Mr. Moors with several numbers of his family, attended the races on the day named. The glasses were placed on the seat of a carriage, and while one of the races was being run the servants anw the prisoner take them up, and he was given into custody. The prisoner admitted having the glasses in his hand, but set up the defence that they were given to him by one of the servants as payment of a bet The jury found the prisoner guilty of an attempt to commit a larcony, and he pleaded guilty to two provious convictions. Sentence was re-

THEFT FROM THE PERSON Chan Achoo pleaded guilty to stealing a hat and a boot from the person of Edward Courad on the 2nd February, and to four previous convictions.—Sontence was deferred.

Lai Atsoi and Chan-Ayu were charged with stealing a number of things, the property of Ho Yin Kee, on the 15th January. From the Attorney-General's opening statement it appeared the parties were all stone-outters and members and accounts for the past year having been in of a guild, under the rules of which the property of any workman stealing the property another was liable to forfeiture. prosecutor's property had been seized by the prisoners, who claimed to be soting under this rule.—The prosecutor did not answer to his name when called upon, and the Atterney-General said he would not proceed with the case; it was a very doubtful one and without the prosecutor's evidence it was impossible to proceed. - The jury by direction of the court, returned a verdict of not guilty, and in discharging the prisoners the judge told them that they left the court without any stain upon their character, but told them that if any member of their guild committed a larceny they must not take the law into their own hands bu bring the peson accused before the magistrate to be punished according to law.

THEFT PROM A SEAMAN. Lai Afat and Man Chu Chai were chasge with stealing \$90: the money of Fong Ying Hoi, on the 18th February. The proscentor is a seahe went to an opium shop and there went to sleep. The prisoners, it was alleged, took the majority of four to three.

COUNTERFEIT COIN. Wong Achang was charged with uttering counterfeit dollar on the 8th instant. The pr soner said he had brought the dollar with him from the country and did not know it was bad: The jury returned a verdict of guilty on all three counts.

The prisoner pleaded guilty to two previous onvictions .- Sentence reserved. BURGLARY.

Chau Atim was charged with breaking into the godown of one Fung Ying Shun; on the 14th March and stealing therefrom four bags of rice, one blanket, one quilt, one pillow box and pillow, and one pair of trousors. The prisoner pleaded guilty. He also pleaded guilty to three previous convictions.—Sentence

AN ATTEMPTED BURGLARY. Wong Achee was charged with attempting to break into the dwelling house of one Wong Achile at half-past four o'clock a.m. on the 10th March; and with being in unlawful possession of some housebreaking implements, to wit, one matting needle, one knife, and a bunch of keys. The jury found the prisoner guilty on both

The prisoner pleaded quilty to one previous conviction, and said that in November, 1876, he was sentenced to six months' imprisonment. He received a conditional pardon which he broke. He was then sent to gaol to finish his time.-UTTERING COUNTERFEIT COIN,

Wong Aloi was charged with wilfully uttering counterfoit dollar on the 28th February last to one Chun Ayee, and at the same time of uttering the said coin he had another in his possession, he well knowing the said coin to be counterfeit.

The jury found the prisoner guilty on both harges. Sentence reserved. RECEIVING STOLEN GOODS. Chun Achee and Chun Ayun were charged

with receiving stolen goods, knewing them to be Ib appeared that on the let February last two Sikh constables who were at Ap-li-chow, were ottacked by a number of Chinese and both of their rifles were atolen. Inspector Lindsay had made coarching inquiries and had found the rifle in a house econpied by a number of Chinese. The whole of the occupants of that house were taken before the magistrates but they were all discharged with the exception of the two prisoners now in the dock, through want of sufficient

The jury found a verdict of guilty against

POLICE COURT. 22nd March.

BUFORE CHARLES MAY, Esq. UNLAWPUL POPSESSION.

quantity of rice, of which he could not gave a terms of redemption of three years each. The not very clearly expressed, but we gather from his wes transmissed, and so that if a set is a set of the set is a set is a set of the set is a se month's imprisonment with hard labour.

experiences at Pusan it will take a very theory, what a catalogue of lis we subject our. was charged with mantonly and cruelly about and allver weights, and of flooding the Sahara as one that might easily be indicated print on the purpose.

selves to in eating mean so propared. I do not a certain animal, to wit, a cat, by scooping out wish to miles a notifies alarm, but merely call its eyes.

Attention to a dirty and useless practice.

Alexander McDougall said that he was a mounted policement. His quarters are at No. 9 plies for the army. These secon to have been times disposed to doubt the force of his argu-Station. At twenty-minutes past two o'clock orders on the custom-houses for each collected by ments and the feasibility of his scheine, they yesterday afternoon, he received some informs, them. They were redecided also in receipts for may be reminded that the writer is no mere tion, in consequence of which he went with the Government products, which, in turn, were re-theorizer who forms plans in his study with the informer to the road opposite the Spanish Pro- deemable at the Government storas by the mer-help of books and maps. Already he has excuration. There he saw a black out walking about chandise specified. The notes had three years to plored the north west coust of Africa for a the road bleeding from the eyes, and meaning as run. In the second year a man might pay half distance of 200 miles; he believes that he has bhough in pair. Witness took the cat up, and on his taxes in these notes. Another kind of paper discovered a suitable harbour and offers at his examining it, he saw that both the eyes had been were called bonds, issued nominally for deposits personal risk to visit the chicis of Western Setaken out. He made inquiries and he received of money or goods, but as it seems, were nothing hard, and to endeavour to form a basis for future some further information in consequence, of but bills of credit. These were multiplied in commerce with that country. The fact that the which he went with his second informant who wast issues, and seem to have become the pre- chiefs and people have given their consent to is now in court (pointing to Chebng Afonk) to vailing form. In 1166 they were exchanged for forming a station at Caps Juby has smoothed the stables of Mr. Belilios, where witness saw other notes at 10 on 100. Then followed tyran, the way for further enterprise. Pall Mall Gathe prisoner. Witness asked him how the ont's mical decrees about exchanging and rating. settle. syes came to be taken out. The prisoner, who socepting and refusing, and redeeming and speaks a little English, said that he had had deferring the notes, too numerous to mention; eyes, and understanding that cat's eyes were at In 1209 the bonds had been issued in such good medicine, he had taken them out. Witness quantities that they did not perform the functions

leved that the cut died of throttling.

The body of the out was produced in court. name as now in court), and throw it down on the Paper money had long been used in the road. He saw that the oat had no eyes, it was western provinces as well as in the central problooding and alive. Chow Akow, herse coolie to Mr. Bellilies, said after the eld bills of the western province had youth was told that obiquette would not permit of that the prisoner was a conchman in the same been twice withdrawn, they were squal to the new employ. Yesterday afternoon the prisoner's wife ones. The Tortars had also borrowed the inbrought a black cat to the prisoner. Witness yention, and, last of all it had been introduced saw the prisoner take a nail and hook the cate into the eastern provinces. The consequence thing to the popularity of our English Princes. eyes out. After that was finished he told wit- was that in the thirteenth, century the whole The Prince is, we hear, delighted with his ness to throw the cat away. The cat was not empire was overwhelmed by the mischiefs visit to this country. He owns to being a killed first.

ing man to witness an act of such extreme ornelty vague and feeble when used to describe such a been so mercilesaly made to 'do' during the without trying to prevent it or calling the police state of things. Vissering thus sums up the last few weeks. But on one subject H.I.H. has Witness continued-He then threw it in the picture as presented by the Chinese historians. a most clear and decided opinion, and that is as road. He did not take the eyes out. Prisoner said that that witness took out the eves, and was going to eat the cat.

liches and est them with augur. yourself, one would believe that you would have delude the people. Solemn promises were made than last senson. There is only one thing wantsome feeling for a cat. I do not think it is of that henceforth the Government would fulfil ing to make Prince Rudolf completely happy a much use to say much to a man who has such what it had charged itself with. The result was day with what Mr. Bright once called in the to do to such a miserable, unfeeling wretch as incurring new in order to defer the impending, is what he will not be allowed to have. you is to punish you for extreme brutality. I bankruptev of the state. shall fine you \$5; in default, you will go to gaol for three months with hard labour

crowded)—This man has just been fined £5, or We have no detailed history of it. Vissering no truth in the notion at all, it will at least be three months hard labour. Let me tell you all that if any person is brought up here for cruelty | tions with the Government. In the middle of to animals they will be dealt with in a like man-

HIOGO.

The Nichi Nichi Shimbun states that on the 26th ultimo a Daijokwan notification was issued to the Provincial Governments, announcing that as it had been decided to open an Assembly of Provincial officials, the Governor of each Fu and Kan is to report himself at the capital by the th of April. If the Governor of any Fu or Ken cannot himself attend, in consequence of the pressure of affairs, the Secretary will attend in rateed. This measure will remove one grisvance of some of the political malcontents, and may be of great importance. On the first (and only) occasion of this Assembly meeting it proved itself endowed with a very satisfactory amount

The Kioto Fuche has petitioned the Department of Foreign Affairs that as a relaxation of the rule that foreigners are obliged to have passports when they go outside treaty limits, all foreigners in Kobe and Osaka shall be allowed to visit the Kioto Exhibition without passports English influence has been far surpassed by that for 30 days at the beginning and again at the of Russia. England will soon have because to and of the Exhibition season. The Depart deplore the neglect by which she has of late ment of Foreign Affairs having granted the given unlimited scope to the action of Russian petition, notice has been sent to the Hioro Kengho and Osaka Fucho (?)

the peoples of the two countries are not so cordial incursions of armed Turks or Russians. There is have forced upon her, of playing in her turn the Persia would at once have declared war against an experience without which her education as a Gilan was increased to a force of 8,000 men, and nation would have been incomplete, and the re- preparations were made for crossing the frontier. sults of which will no doubt be a modification of the It was only because Russia was fully aware of

intercouse with foreigners. of the small schools, who have hithorto dressed and the troops of which it was composed to be ON SHANGHAI. in either foreign or native style, have been or sent to their homes. Notwithstanding this, he dered to dress in the former. The same paper is still on the most friendly terms with Russia. says that Naoye, a daughter of Dr. See, living | When the news of the fall of Pleyna reached at the North end of Seihekubashi, Yodobori, was Teheran the Shah immediately sent a long teloa professing Christian, and has just died at the gram to the Czar, warmly congratulating him on age of twenty-one. On the 25th ult. her funeral his success, and expressing a hope that the Ruswas celebrated according to Christian rites, and sian army would push on to Constantinople."was attended by some hundreds of Japanese, besides some fereigners.—Hiogo News.

PAPER CURRENCY IN CHINA

From a new book by W. Vissering, L.L.D.,

not be redeemed; but in anticipation of this a within nine days sail of our own shores." Mr. Hennessy with being in unlawful possession of a new issue had been made in 1072, for twenty-five Mokentie's view with regard to future action is the months of most and the could need to be a new issue had been made in 1072, for twenty-five Mokentie's view with regard to future action is the could need to be a new issue had been made in 1072, for twenty-five Mokentie's view with regard to future action is the could need to be a new issue had been made in 1072, for twenty-five Mokentie's view with regard to future action is the could need to be a new issue had been made in 1072, for twenty-five Mokentie's view with regard to future action is the could need to be a new issue had been made in 1072, for twenty-five Mokentie's view with regard to future action is the could need to be a new issue had been made in 1072, for twenty-five Mokentie's view with regard to future action is the could need to be a new issue had been made in 1072, for twenty-five Mokentie's view with regard to future action is the could need to be a new issue had been made in 1072, for twenty-five Mokentie's view with regard to future action is the could need to be a new issue at the could need to be a n were changed into irredeemable bills of credit, he would proceed to Cape Juby in the apring, Wat Ayan was charged by Inspector Orley The circulation of bills was now twenty times establish a station at Port St. Bartholomew, with selling yeal of an indifferent character, what it had been in 1023 and their value had make a township to the water what it had been in 1023 and their value had make a journey from thence by the Wadam route The prisoner, who looked old and decrepit, said depreciated. Few had been redsemed. Notes of to Timbuctoe, and invite the chiefs of Western that he bought the meat from a man named the new issue were worth one for four of the old. Sahara to enter into a treaty for opening up Sin, Allow me to call attention to a flithy Chun Chin Chu, He was told that he could sell The bank for the issue of bills of evapange trade with Souden and also for the abelition of was now changed hite the bank for the issue of the plays trade between Western Soudan and by Chinese butchers, viz., that of blowing by His Worship to prisoner You are a lazy, bills of wedlt, and a new issue was made for Morocco. Mr. Mackensie adds - Tshall also suffering from, and I ask is it putting saide the who would peison himself with opium would trate's report shows that a depreciation existed Ocean!" His grand project therefore of flooding

then put the cot down when the prisoner took of money at all. New notes were printed on it up and went away out of witness's sight. paper mixed with satin and saturated with Upon returning the out was dead. Witness be- clibanum, and issued at one for two of the old. Confidence was now entirely destroyed and the inquisitorial proceedings of the Government, Cheony Afock said that yesterday afternoon encouraging accusations and denunciations, aprend he saw a Chinese coolie bring a black out (the distrust and terror throughout the community. vinces, whose history we have followed. . In 1210. which it produced, amounting to anarchy and little mixed "as to the various factories, found-

His Worship (addressing the court, which was paper money, and in time it ruined them also. thinks the people did not use it except in transacthe sixteenth century China was conquered by the Manchus, when paper money was abolished The fundamental reason, for the long mistakes of the Chinese in the matter of currency seems to have been that they could not devise a good system of public finance. They did not issue paper money when they had a surplus recepte or recent time banks of issue have been established stringent obligations to redeem on demand, and their circulation is very limited in area. The be a very great sacrifice. World. Government engages in this business, but under banking rules and not as a political power.

RUSSIA AND PERSIA.

Russian influence is said to be growing more predominant at the Persian Court from day to ay. Nothing can be more evident. says a correspondent at Teheran, writing to a Hamburg newspaper, "than that during the last twelvemonths England has been continually losing ground in Persia and the interior of Asia, and that in nearly all the independent Asiatic States diplomacy in Asia generally, and especially in Persia. It is a mutake to suppose that the It is remoured that about 100 policemen are object of the corps of observation which was to be sent to guard the Japanese residents in posted by Persia at Gilan, opposite Bagdad, was Corea. This shows that the relations between merely to protect the Rersian frontier against the as they might be. The necessity which Japan good reason to believe that, if the Russians had has brought upon herself, or which circumstances | required assistances in the Armenian campaign, part which foreign powers had to play towards Turkey; and, indeed, when things were going On London. her a few years ago, is giving her the benefit of badly with the Russians the Persian army at views held by a section of the people and their fana- the inefficiency of the Persian troops that she ticaladmirers, as to certain passages of her own early declined to avail herself of their support; and disectly the Slinh was informed of this he ordered Pall Mall Gazette.

THE FLOODING OF THE SAHARA."

Mr. Mackenzie's brilliant project has been now for some time before the world. It seems at the first glance more like the dream of a post than published at Leyden, on Chinese Currency, the the scheme of a man of business; but Mr. Mac-following information is extracted, which will be kensie is no visionary enthusiast, and his arguread with interest as showing what the experi- men's are forcible enough to demand general ence of China has been with respect to an irre- attention. The last twenty years have added immensely to our knowledge of the vest conti-"At the end of the eighth century we find the next of Africa, but for practical purposes this first mention of paper money of any form. It knowledge is still, as it were, in its infuncy, and consisted of certificates of deposit called "flying our communication with some of the most immoney," issued for coin deposited by merchants portant territories of Africa is carried on in a to avoid the risk and trouble of carrying the primitive fushion. Truly does the writer say heavy coins in use. It was soon abolished we that "Africa still remains unopened and unciviare not informed for what reason. In 809 it was lised; its yest resources lost to the commercial proposed to reintroduce flying money, and to world, its inhabitants victims to the slave brade issue it either for money or merchandise depo and to every kind of tyranny and vice that follows sited; charging a premium on the notes of in the wake of ignorance and superstition." The 100 cash on every 1,000 string (string of 1,000 extreme difficulty of reaching the interior of the cash ?). None secepted this invitation, and the country is the chief barrier to progress, and the premium was abolished. The paper, however, did endeavour to reach Central Africa from the west coast has proved a miserable and fatal error. Mr. "At the end of the eleventh century a plan of Mackensie proposes to bring Soudan, with its advances of capital to poor men, to enable them | 38,000,000 of inhabitants, into nommunication to onlivate the fields, was tried. Through the with England by opening direct, intercourse dishonesty of officials the interest and the repay- from Cape Juby on the north-west coast, a ments were not collected by the Government, point distant only about 1,500 miles from distress and impoverishment taking the place. England. At present the people receive their of the expected advantages to the people, while, supply of European merchandise across the on the part of the state, vast sums were tree Sahara from the ports of Morocco, Algoria Tunis, and Tripoli. The caravans by this route "In 960 paper money appears again. In the make one journey in the year, "traversing about Western provinces it was issued by a bank or two thousand miles of mountainous and difficult syndicate of wealthy families against a deposit of country before the nearest market of Soudan is coin. The Government adopting the plan, opened reached." The annual value of the trade carried offices in the treasury at the capital, at one of on by this difficult and wearisome route amounts which deposits might be made and at the other, to £4,000,000. The route Mr. Mackenzie pronotes obtained. A premium of two per cent was poses to open would make the road shorter by charged for the latter. These notes were like 1,200 miles, the distance from Cape Juby to Timwarehouse receipts; and were issued for mer- buctoo being about 800 miles of almost level counchandise as well as for money. In 1011, bills of try; and as the line is plentifully supplied with exchange were first issued. They soon displaced water, Mr. Mackenzis asserts that caravana could the former notes. Conversion on demand was make three journeys a year by it with greater never provided for. The bills were drawn for a lease than one by the present roads, and that thus their redemption in specie. The basis depo- necessary is to form a commercial station at Port sited whon the first issue was made was three- St. Bortholomew. Cape Juby, where the climate. sevenths of its amount. At first the issue was is equal to that of Madeira and Canary; obtain the strictly limited in amount. It is easy to see what protection of the Berber chiefs of Western Sahara, great advantages these notes offered. At the under whose protection the present trade is carprescribed periods few demands for redemption ried on; and place agents in the principal towns were made. The reserve fund was therefore on the road to Timbactoo. The road to Central

promising payment in these metals after the war. realized. The facts collected by Mr. Mackensia In 1131 two new forms of paper were issued, about the important region of the Soudan will Alexander McDougall said that he was a One was frontier notes, with which to buy sup. interest most readers), and if they are some

> THE CROWN PRINCE OF AUSTRIA IN ENGLAND

The Crown Prince of Austria seems to be a very modest and amasuming young man. It appears that he is highly offended if any oneno matter who ventures to remain seated in his presence. And on being invited to dire at Dublin Castle, he sent word to say that he would come, if it were settled that he was to lead the Duchess of Mar. borough to dinner, taking procedence of the Lord Lieutenaut! The amiable the armingement he proposed, and he did not go. This is a fact. It is the total absence of this absured bauteur thut contributes more than any-

Mr. May said that this witness was an unfeel- almost a dissolution of society. Adjectives seem rice, public buildings, and so forth, which he Provisions rise in price, trade is paralyzed, to the great beauty and charm of our English woods cover the fertile fields false coincre spring ciris, who he declares best all continental volume up like clouds, the officials practise extertion on women in looks, shape, and action. This from Mr. May-I do not believe that the witness the people, the pesterity of those who were born . Vienness may be well considered high praise; wanted to eat the cat, or else why did he throw in affluence die miserably from want, and the and we hear that the Prince, when making this bodies of tens of thousands, not killed by the statement, announced his intention of dancing Prisoner said some Indians told him that if sword of the enemy but starved with hunger, "till four in the morning" at the two balls at he could get a black cat's eyes and ate them, it cover all the roads of the empire. He also gives | which he will be present in London. His imwould do his eyes good. So he put them in a the following summary of the work of Wang-ki, perial mother has also been greatly enjoying the continuer of Matwan-lin One issue such berself in Northamptonskirs, where, aided by a His Worship Sooing that you have bad eyes coeded another. New names were invented to good pilot she has done fan better over the grass srael and disgusting feelings. All that I have that again and again old debts were paid by House "the Pitchley." But that we are afraid There are still people and not bodly informed "In 1200 China was conqueced by Genghis ones either in such matters who still talk of Khan. The Mongols, however, continued to use the possibility of a match between H.I.H. and our Princess Bastrice. Though there may be admitted that if Prince Budolf is courting the Princess he is somewhat of a laggard in love. having been once to Osborne since his arrival in-England. As to the legal difficulties in the way of such a marriage, those who believe in it declare them to be by no means insuperable. The Act of Settlement forbids any one in the line of succassion to the throne marrying with a Roman Catholic but this, it is said, could be got over were at peace or to aid private debtors. In very by the Princess renouncing her chance of sitting an her mother's throne. As there are at present in some cities of China. They are under some thirty lives, with a fair prospect of insrcaso, between H.R.H. and that throne, this would not

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

FRIDAY, 22nd March. Af the before noted rates of \$5775 to \$580. and \$5474 to \$550, sales of Patna and Benares. In Malwa nothing further done.

EXPORT CARGO. Per steamship Belgic, for Yokohama, &c. :-For Yekohama 641 bales Yaru, 10 bales Gunnies. 100 flasks Quicksilver, 20 cases Castor Oil, 2,427 pkgs. Ironwars, 4,611 bags Sugar, 445 pkgs. Sepanwood 80 pkgs. Rations, 15 bags Coffee, 543 pkgs Merchandise. For Hiogo 2 cases Merchandise. For Nagasaki 10 pkgs. Merchandiso. For New York 1 pkg. Merchandise, 25 pkgs. Tea, 118 bales Silks. For San Francisco 19,584 bags Rice, 37 bags Sago, 120 bags Coffee, 143 Empty Quicksilver Flasks, 18 bales Cinnamon, 260 bales Gunny Bogs, 58 boxes Prepared Optum,

and 2,402 pkgs. Merchandiss,

Bank Bills, on demand.......3/101 nom. Bank Bills, at 80 days' sight 3/104 nom. Bank Bills, at 6 months sight 3,111 nom. Credits, at 6 months sight 3/112 nom. Dogumentary Bills, at 6 months'

Bank, sight

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares 55 per Union Insurance Society of Canton \$1,300 per China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares

31,200 per share. Yangtase asurance Association-Tla. 625 per Chinese Insurance Company \$250 per share. Hougkoug Fire Insurance Company's Shares-China Fire Insurance Company & Shares \$170

Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company's Shares I per cent premium. Hongkong Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s Shares - \$16 per share discount. Shanghai Steam Navigation Company-Tls. 22 Hongkong Gas Company a Shares \$75 per Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares \$55 per

China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-Per.

Chinese Imperial Loan-\$105. Ez. 4s. 1id.

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1877—£108 15s SALES ON MARCH 22ND, AS REPORTED BY China Root-15 packages, at \$9.00, by Yuewo loong to travelling trader. Cuttlefish-5 lage at \$18.00, by Yue-wo-loong to travelling trader Mushrooms 10 cases, at 348.00, by Yns.woloong to travelling trader

Dried Ldly Flowers-10 packages, at 80.80, by Chun chang to travelling trader. Green Poss 200 bags, at \$2.15, by Chunchong to travelling trader.

Vernicelli 50 bags, at \$6.50, by You-wo-

loong to travelling trader.

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POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Saigon Per Pareco, to day, the 23rd instant, at 9.30 A.M. For Straits Settlements, Suez, and London. Per Ajaz, to day, the 23rd instant, at 0.30 P.M. For Shanghal.—To day, the 23rd instant, at For Manila. Per sobooner Nuevo Constante. to day, the 23rd instant, at 4 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Toochow Por Donglas, to day, the 23rd inst., at 5 P.M. For Saigon.—Per Altona, on Monday, the 25th instant, at 4.30 P.M. For Port Darwin, Cooktown, Sydney, Mcl-bourns, &c.—Por Ocean, on Wednesday, the 27th

Instant, at 11.80 A.M. Postage, 12 cents.
For Port Darwin. Per Charlton, on Friday, the 20th instant, at 11.30 A.M. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES' PACKET. The United States' Mail Packet "CITY OF TOKIO" will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 26th instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, and the United States, which will be

closed as follows :--11 A.M. Registry of Letters ceases. 11.30 A.M. Post Office closes, but Letters (except. for Non-Union Countries) may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 18 cents extra Postage, until the time of departure. Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies (except the Bahamas and Hayti) Costo Rico, Honduras, Monto Video, New Granada, Paraguay, and Uruguey can no longer be sent by

MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PACKET. The English Contract Packet "KHIVA" will be despatched with the Mails for Europe, &c., on THURSDAY; the 28th instant. The following will be the hours of closing the

Mails, co. -WEDNESDAY, 27th instant, THURSDAY, 28th instant,

A.M. Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all correters. Registry of Letters ceases. a Late Fee of 18 cents extra Postage, until. 11 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES entirely. 11.30 A.M., Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Pocket

with Late Fee of 48 cents extra postage, until 1.50 A.M., when the Mail is finally closed MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet "ANADYR" will be despatched from Hongkong on THURS. DAY, the 4th April, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, via Marseilles; to Saigen, Singapore, Batavia, Aden, Sucz. and Alexandria. The following will be the hours of CLOSING

the Mails, &c :--WEDNESDAY, 3rd April, 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office. closes except the Night Box, which remains open all night. THUESDAY, 4th April,

A.M. Post Office opens for sale of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all corre-10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. 11 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late Let-

11.10 A.m., Letters (but Letters only) may be posted on payment of a Late. Fee of 18 cents. extra postage, until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office CLOSES entirely.

REGISTRATION TO BANGKOK. Her Britannic Majesty's Consul for Siam-hasbeen good enough to make arrangements by means of which correspondence can be Registered to Bangkok, at the usual charge of 8

Correspondence for the West Indies (except those belonging to the Postal Union, the Bahamas and Havti), for Costa Rica, Honduras, Monte Video, New Granada, Paraguay, and

Uruguay can no longer be sent vià San Fran-SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' LETTERS. Privates in H.M. Army or Navy, Non-com-

missioned Officers (but not Warrant Officers, viz., Assistant Engineer, Gunner, Boatswain, or Carpenter), Army Schoolmasters (not Superintending or First Class) or Schoolmistresses may send half-ounce letters to the United Kingdom via Southampton by British Packet for one penny; or via Brindisi by British Packet for three-pence. Hongkong stamps will prepay this class of correspondence exactly the same as Imperial Stamps. Soldiers' and Sailors' letters, are, however, charged as ordinary letters if they do not conorm to the following regulations:

1.—Not to exceed half an ounce. No double etters are allowed. 2.—If from a Soldier or Sailor, his class or description must be stated in full on the letter; and the Commanding Officer must sign his name, with name of Regiment, or Ship, &c., in

3.—If to a Soldier or Sailor, his class or doscription must be stated in full, with name of Regiment, or Ship, &c., in full. The attention of owners, agents, and charterers

of steamers is drawn to the provisions of The Post Office Ordinance, 1876, which comes into force on the 23rd instant. Under the old Ordinance no notice was required of the departure of a vessel if not advertised, nor of departures for Canton or Macao.

Notice is now required of any departure, though with regard to sailing ships, the old rule will practically remain in force, that notice need not be sent unless asked for. Section XXV. requires that the first notice be sent to the Post Office. In the case of steamers plying regularly or on fixed days, notice of any change in the day or hour will be sufficient.

Stamped correspondence may still be sent on board any vessel after the Muil is closed at the Post Office.

The Postmaster-General takes this opportunity of calling the attention of firms to the fact that any such words as Despatches will close at 11. A.M., added to the advertisement of a vessel are illegal. Consignees' letters are exempted by law from passing through the Post Office, but no person is allowed to make collection of such let-ters for transmission under a penalty of £100 per week during which the practice continued.

Most countries to which Hongkong forwards Correspondence having joined the General Postal Union or being probably about to do so, it is necessary that the following rules be 1.—No Letter or Packet, whether to be regis-

tered or unregistered, can be received for Postage. if it contains gold or siver money, jewels, precious articles, or anything that, as a general Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, rule, is liable to Customs duties. 2.—This Regulation prohibits the sending of Patterns of dutiable articles, unless the quantity sent be so small as to make the sample of no 3.—The limits of weight allowed are as fol-

BOOKS AND PAPERS.—To British Offices, 51b. PATTERNS -- 5lb., if without intringic value. BOOKS AND PAPERS.—To the Continent, &c.,

PATTERNS — 8 oz.
4 — The following articles cannot be sent by Post at all .- Glass, Liquids, Gunpowder, Matches, Capdles, Scap, Indigo, Dye-stuffs, or & F. MARTELL'S BRANDY. whatever is dangerous to the Mails or offensive or injurious to persons dealing with them. The public is reminded that, in China and

Japan, there is no much thing as Parcel Post.

Much trouble and disappointment is caused by persistent attempts to send small valuable trifles through the Post. Fans, Curios, Articles of Dress, Fancy Work, and similar presents are continually being refused the senders having often spent more in Postage than would have paid the freight by steamer. No refund can be made on such parcels of the value of Stamps

Some difficulty is experienced in obtaining a general understanding of what is a Pattern. It is a bone fide sample of goods which the sender has for eale, or of goods which he wishes to order. It is to consider of the committee to quantity compatible with showing what the goods are, and must have no intrinsic value!

EXTRACTS.

IMMORTAL LONGINGS. A world of death! The milky flower bell, The lossest dansing on the sapful stem.

The purple mountain a snowy anadom, The glapeing rill that babbles through the dell, Cease, yielding place to others; but the same Green blade or bloom we no or again behold; New snows offago the hill top's summer gold; New runnels pour their wavelets. Can we chaim,

We only, guerdon of oternal life! Perish the doubt! Ask then thy longing soul, Thy beating heart, thy bosom's noble strife With sin, thy yearning for a final goal

Where news shall over droop, or fail, or griove ;

tion of an hospital, the constantly suggested reading the remonstrance of the Parliament theme of the miseries which drink brought against the duke, when it seemed to him on the people came uppermost. Mr. Martin, that that remonstrance was a sufficient war-

already consigned to failure by the good- - Cassell's Illustrated History of England. humoured laughter of the city? Could he indeed do what his friend believed?

tory, he exclaimed aloud, "Here goes, in the village; and if hard pressed, we will separate,

William Martin, "Friend William," said rode rapidly for the village whence we had ciety to-night." flung his arms round the neck of that young utmost speed, rode down upon us with the

Popish friar, kissed him like a child, and evident intention of cutting off our retreat. of them all, I fell asleep.—The Country of cried out, "Thank God! thank God!" Here is a pretty mess, thought I, as I drew the Moors. By Edward Rac. Thus entered Father Mathew on that work my sword hastily from my scabbard. I was with which his name is so memorably asso- in front, my two men were close behind. ciated; thus began that wonderful moral re- On came our foes at full speed and as the forevolution which was soon to startle the king- most borseman neared me I thought at first dom.—New Ireland, By A. M. Sullivan.

TURKISH SOLDIERS. There are cowards and malingerers in all man belping another along; and it is a com- no match for the sinewy Sikh behind me, mon thing, after a fight, to see a wounded who, after a few rapid exchanges of blows

From "Macmillan's Magazine"

THE ASSASSINATION OF THE DUKE doorly he I can, and fight it out to the last.

The continuence of the last of Edmand J. Armstrong.

FATHER MATHEWS "CALL."

Before long the name of the young friar was a household word; his noble unselfishness, his ardent anxiety ber of officers came rushing in a that came my horse might perhaps refuse it, and that her described with a number of officers came rushing in a that came my horse might perhaps refuse it, and that her described with a number of officers came rushing in a that came my horse might perhaps refuse it, and that handkerchiefs, Red, per dozen to the form my horse might perhaps refuse it, and that handkerchiefs Red, per dozen to the form my horse might perhaps refuse it, and that handkerchiefs Red, per dozen to the form my horse might perhaps refuse it, and that handkerchiefs Red, per dozen to the form my horse might perhaps refuse it, and that handkerchiefs Red, per dozen to the form my horse might perhaps refuse it, and that handkerchiefs Red, per dozen to the form my horse might perhaps refuse it, and that handkerchiefs Light Red needozen to the form my horse might perhaps results ber of officers came rushing in the form my horse might perhaps results ber of officers came rushing in the form my horse might perhaps results ber of officers came rushing in the form my horse might perhaps refuse it, and that handkerchiefs Light Red needozen. fellow-merchants and fellow-citizens of Cork who had been a liquitenant in the army dur- make out, not one of them is over as yet. -William Martin. Long had the sturdy ing the expedition to the Isle of Rhe. He Another two hundred yards are passed when "Quaker" and his gallant hand preached the had thrown up his commission because he I see that half-a-dozen of them have at length new evangel of abstinence from alcohol; but could not obtain the arrears of his pay, and got over, and are following me up as before they felt that, though the Catholic masses | bad seen another at the same time promoted | with frantic haste, and doing their best to around them respected them greatly and over his head. He had, therefore, must make up the ground they have lost. On they viewed them kindly, no one but a Catholic of likely, a personal grudge against the duke, come, but I have got such a start that they influence and popularity could really give the but had also been led on by religious fanati- do not gain on me much before I reach the movement headway, amongst the people. One cism. He was a stout, dark, military-look- village, and am lost for the time to their view. day while honest "Bill Martin" and Father ing man, from Suffolk; but, according to his From "A Ride for Life," in "Blackwood's Mathew were making their morning visita- own account, was first excited to the dead by Magazine" for February.

in a burst of passionate grief or invective, want for the act, and that by ridding the It was a piercing cold night, and the Kaid's suddenly stopped and turned to his com- country of him he should render a real service people brought us a small three-cornered clay panion, exclaiming, "Oh, Theobald Mathew, to it. He described himself as walking in pot, full of charcoal. The door, too, had what thou couldn't do if thou wouldst only London on Tower Hill, when he saw a broad lost one of its planks, and therefore one-third take up this work of banishing the flend that hunting knife on a cutler's stall, and that it of its width. The Maltese rolled off to sleep desolates the houses of thy people so !" was suggested to him instantly to buy it for on the floor. In spite of my better judg-The young Capuchin seemed as if struck this purpose. At Portsmouth one of the ment, I adopted the Kaid's straw pillow, and by some mysterious power. He remained royal chapitains was sent to him in his dun- lay down on the brick-platform with a thin silent, walked moodily on till he parted from geon, where he lay heavily ironed; but Felton, straw mat alone under me. In a quarter of his Quaker companion, then went home, supposing the chaplain sent to draw some. an hour I was overrun by a needy and inpondering words which all that day and all thing from him rather than for his consolal defatigable swarm of fleas. After two hours through the night seemed still to ring in his tion, said, "Sir, I shall be brief with you; I misery, I was falling asleep, when the houles ears, "Oh, Theobald Mathew, what thou killed him for the cause of God, and my outside our door took fright, reared, plunged, couldst do if thou wouldst but take up this country." The chaplain, to mislead him, told and the castle resounded with unearthly him what was not true, that the surgeons braying. They ceased at last, and my chances If there was one man in Cork city, who gave hopes of his life; but Felton promptly improved, when my attention was directed pre-eminently had tried every other way of replied, "That is impossible! I had the to a curious scratching and scuttling about rescuting and uplifting the people, it was he. power of forty men, assisted by Him who the matting and baskets. A colony of rats What had he not done, what had be not guided my hand." On being removed to had emerged from a hole in the corner tried, and yet did not this drink curse start London, the people crowded to see him, of the hut, and with angry little squeaks up at every turn to baffle and defeat his showering blessings on him as the deliverer were eating their way into our esparto of his country, and one old woman at King-But was not William Martin's scheme a ston said, "Now, God bless thee, little mad and impracticable idea? Was it not David!" meaning that he had killed Goliah.

A RIDE FOR LIFE.

For some days Father Mathew considered ... We must ride for our lives, sahib, for , the whole subject seriously. One morning, that man will bring the whole camp upon us, as he rose from his knees in his little ora- "Yes," said I, hastily, " we will ride for the and make the best of our way to the picket," An hour afterwards he was in the office of So saying, we put spure to our horses, and vigorously in turns—the success of one stihe, "I have come to tell you a piece of come. We had not gone more than eighty morning. Awakened and encouraged by the dashed out from a clump of trees upon our screech and hoot, the mules turned up again, The honest souled Quaker rushed over, left front, and urging their horses to their the rats frolicked about, and the fleas sallied

of engaging him with my sword. Just as with him his grown-up family and also conhe came within three or four yards of me, siderable wealth. He opened a branch house the thought flashed across me that I might in London in connection with his old business perhaps be able to make short work of him in the colony, shipping goods from here to armies, though in the Turkish there are but with my pistol. Quick as thought I dropped there. A year or two after his opening the few. Our admiration of the common soldier my sword, letting it hang by the knot from London house, the discovery of gold at Baincreased daily as we became more intimate my wrist, and snatching out my pistol from thurst in New South Wales was made, and with him. He is by nature a gentleman, my holster, I levelled it full at my assailant, the Australian gold fever set in, with what always polite, cheerful, and brave. We saw a big black-bearded Mohammedan, and fired vigour many of my readers will remember. regiments under all conditions. Even where as I passed him at about two yards distance. His colonial knowledge enabled him to ship the men came in weary, footsore, and fasting, The ball hit him fair in the side, and for a judiciously, and he also shipped largely. we have seen them ordered on to fight, and second he rested in his saddle, then dropping In some matter of business he was conthey have gone without a murmur. We his uplifted sword-arm, he tumbled headlong cerned, a dispute took place that came for have met them in the clouds among the forward to the ground, and his riderless horse settlement in a legal court. The returned snow at Schipka, where they had been for galloped past just behind me. A thrill of colonist was subpænæd as a witness, entered weeks; we have been with them in victory exultation bounded through me as I saw the box to give evidence. The opposing and also in defeat; but they are always the him fall. Meanwhile one of my troopers counselin cross-examination, suddenly, asked same uncomplaining, faithful men, honest and had engaged another of our assailants. The him a question that perfectly astonished the good-natured. Constantly one sees a wounded rebel was a brave fellow enough, but he was whole court. soldier carrying two rifles, so as to case his and parries, managed to get inside his guard, and turned white and then red. He was a comrade, who may be weaker than himself; and gave him such a slash across the face truthful man and on his oath. for the Turk is very proud of his arms, and his sharp sabre, that he fell, blinded with "Yes! forty-three years ago, but under would almost as soon lose his life as the blood, from his saddle. The third of our circumstances I canweapon intrusted to him. The Bashi-Bazouks assailants, who had cautiously ridden some and the Circassians are quite of a different yards in rear, seeing his two companions fact is all I want to know. I have no further stamp from the regular soldiery. They are hors de combat, took himself off to the camp, question to ask this witness?" armed, but receive no pay, and live by and we were left free for a few moments to. The poor fellow was debarred the right of plunder. The Circassians are perhaps the continue our way unmolested. All this hap making explanation—though that came out most blood-thirsty of the two. Dressed in pened in a few moments or so. I know it when too late. There was the naked and long homespun coasts (something like ulsters) would not be long ere we should be hotly ghastly fact. Forty and three years ago, Pauline they have a soldier-like appearance; they pursued; for as we rattled our horses over when quite a lad, he had been found guilty P. J. Carleton haps better in a hand-to-hand fight than look behind me, I could see that my worst ruined. In a month he was in the Gazette, under fire; but many of them are thieving, anticipations were realised. Already a dozen for everyone rushed at him who had any villainous brutes of the worst kind, and or two of the rebels had leaped upon their dealings with him, and pulled him to pieces acknowledge no rule or discipline. Never- horses, and, sabre in hand, with wild shouts for money. In three months he died of a as long as it lasts his property is perfectly and faster yet I led the way, over rough heaven. safe; but immediately it is over, they feel ground and smooth, dooking well to the Afterwards the whole of the facts of the no longer under any moral obligation; and ground in front (as a fall or stumble of one case came out to a few who had known him the next day, if they have the chance, will of our horses might have proved fatal to us), here, but who never for one moment ever rob him of all he has got. One day, on a and my two men kept close beside me. Our suspected he had worn a convict's dress. reconncitring expedition, I was alone with horses, however, had been out for hours, When quite a young man at college, he about fifty Circassians, and lent my field- while those of our pursuers were quite fresh. and a young nobleman started from Oxford

glasses and telescope to some near me, to "We must separate," said I, quickly, on an outing, as many young collegians did in Northern Star Jan. 6 lock at a force of Russian cavalry. The "Ride off to the right, and I will go straight those days, and they hired for their purpose glasses were passed round from one to the on," as I thought that by thus separating we a horse and gig. They drove from place to other, till we had to advance, when they dis- might perhaps divert our pursuers, and one place, and at last found themselves at Bristol, appeared, and I never expected to get them or other of us would have a chance of get short of cash, and their leave from college Amov back; but at the next halt they were returned ting off. They immediately turned off to close on expiring. At Bristol they could get China to me. The Bashi-Bazouk is simply a volun- the right, though still heading for the vil- no funds. Post was slow in those days. In Yangtere teer, who serves without pay for the chance lage. This ruse was fortunate enough for an evil moment they determined to sell the West Stanley of loot; and, as a rule, is as bad as the con- my men, but it did not avail much for me. horse and gig to defray their hotel bill and ditions of his service make him. His con Casting another glance behind me, I saw, to pay their fares back by coach to Oxford, duct has undoubtedly done much to em my dismay, that our enemies did not appear where the young nobleman could at once get bitter the war, and to bring unpopularity to trouble themselves at all about my com- cash and pay "the damage" to the job master on the Turkish Government. There are panions, but all four of them continued to who had let the couveyance. Good intentions some organised regiments of Bashi-Bazouks, ride, without swerving, after me; for it was, srenotalways carried out. The job master heard but they are mostly employed as feelers as I might have anticipated, the English of the sale of the horseand gig before the young for the army. They do not like going officer whom they had marked for their prey, travellers returned, and he took criminal prounder fire, and are not to be relied on; but and whom they were thirsting to kill. Closer coedings. The commoner had effected the sale, they are often very useful for sneaking along and closer they creep up to me; but I now and so there was no case against the noble-under cover, and finding out the position of urge my horse on, and manage to forge a man. The young man was prosecuted, senthe enemy. It is they who plunder and little ahead. At this rate, thought I, they tenced to seven years transportation, and regular Turkish soldier speverblood-thirsty, hold on. But they are riding at a head- his time, started in business and did well.

In the excitement of the ride I naturally had The duke now prepared to go out to his not looked before me, but now I suddenly carriage, which was waiting at the door and saw, just thirty or forty vards ahead of me, as he went through the hall, spill followed the dike full of water, which we had passed by the French gentlemen. Colonel Fria; over in the early morning to reconnoitre the American Drille, 30 yards, porpless whispered something in his ear. He turned camp. Attitil of hopesand joy passed through American Drills, 15ths, per piece blood both from the wound and his mouth, jumping. They seemed hardly more than English Drills, 30 yards, per piece plood both from the wound and his mouth, jumping. They seemed nardly more than English Drills, 14 lbs., per piece quickly undeceived them. Then an alarm fifty or sixty yards off, and had it not been. English Drills, 15 lbs., per piece... was raised; some ran to close the gates, and others rushed forth to spread the news. The myself and them, I felt that in another few Grey Shirtings, 3 lbs., per piece Others rushed forth to spread the news. The myself and them, I telt that in another lew dry Shirtings, Si lbs., per piece Duchess of Buckingham and her sister, the moments, if they had got much nearer, I Grey Shirtings, 9 lbs., per piece Countess of Anglesca, heard the noise in should have been forced to turn at bay and Grey Shirtings, 10 the per piece their chamber, and ran into the gallery of fight it out to the last. Four to one, how Grey T. Clothe, 24 year 23 in diss. p. pe.

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Sir Thomas Moreton, and others, who stood energy of desperation, he answers to the call, White Shirtings, 7,000 reed, nor piece. Amongst the former were some of the total guard over him till a detachment of soldiers takes off well, and lands clearly, despite a White Shirtings, EF, per piece.... abstinence advocates, notably the leading arrived and conveyed him to the governor's somewhat rotten bank on the other side. "fanatic" of the movement, a man whose house. The assassin turned out to be John Once more do I look back. Full twenty of name is still warmly remembered by his Felton, a gentleman by birth and education, my foca are on the brink, but, as for as I can white Brooden, per piece.

A NIGHT IN AN ARABIAN CASTLE. panniers. At times they varied their recreation by cantering joyfully over my body and those of the sleeping Maltese. Looking out of doors, the castle walls were white as snow in the moonlight, one or two brilliant stars glittered in the cloudless sky, and I could hear—two miles away—the magnificent roar of the sea. I longed desperately for alcep, and it seemed to be coming, when two cocks auddenly awoke, and, imagining the moonlight was the day, began to crow news. I mean to join your temperance so yards or so, when three rebel horseman cocks, a pair of owls set themselves to out in numbers like ants. At last, in spite

> A VERY CRUEL CASE. Aman returned from Australia and brought

"Were you ever transported?" The witness was surprised at the question, "Never mind the circumstances, air. The

are upright in their carriage, and have fierce the wide plain I could hear a tremendous of felony and transported. That was quite Quickstep aristocratic looks. They are excellent horse, uproar in the rebel camp, which was by this enough for virtuous society, both commercial River Lagan men, and as a rule are brave, though per time thoroughly alarmed. Casting a hurried and fashionable. The man's credit was Rubicon Cheless, there lingers among them a certain and gestures, were urging them on at their broken heart. His ventures and estate were Sumatra sense of honour, although it is the pro- utmost speed as they strove to gain upon us. all sacrificed, as such things are in bank. Titan verbial honour of thieves. For instance, if A ride for dear life, thought I, as I caught ruptcy, and the property he had honestly. Trio a person start on an expedition with them, eight of them streaming after us. Faster earned in Australia went to the winds of Wega

murder the wounded on the battle field. The will soon pump their horses, if I can only sent to New South Wales. There he served Clara except perhaps during the excitement of long pace, and I am forced to let out my He was an homest man, and became a Glenisla battle, when both Russians and Turks are horse also to his utmost speed in order to thriving one. In time he married, and unequally ferectious. We were present in six keep ahead of them. Already the foremost fortunately, after forty years, had an inclinengagements and two retreats, and had every of the four is less than a hundred yards be ation to return to Old England's shores. opportunity of seeing any acts of violence hind me, the other three close behind him, With what result the reader knows. English committed by the Turkish soldiery, but did while there are a dozen more a short distance virtuous society received the rich Australian not observe a single instance even of pillaging behind them. Even now, though twenty merchant, but could not forget the "convict." Ada-on the part of the regulars. In fact their long years have passed since that day, it though so many years had passed—though Carl Wilhalm conduct was always beyond praise, while their makes my blood jump to think of it.—For a his sentence had been all worked out and he Chington kindness, affection, and unself should be moment my heart dies within me as I feel had by dint of honest labour raised himself Chloria. another and for their officers is very touching. that the game is up; and I set my testir and to eminence and wealth. Five Years of Penal Empress

determine to die hard-to sell iny life se Servicede. Dy One who has Undergone it. I Priedrich

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